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The Commissioner of Patents, and Trademarks
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Attention: Official Draftsman

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Allowability dated December 18, 2001 received in the above-identified patent application, we enclose formal drawings which are believed to overcome the informalities.

Respectfully submitted,

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